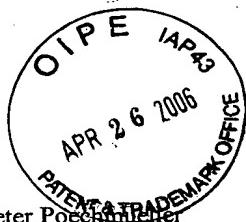


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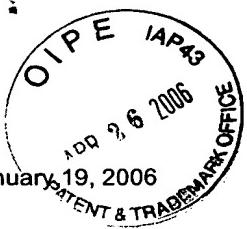
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Dear Sir:

10 In response to the Office Action dated January 19, 2006 ("OA"), Applicant responds with the following discussion distinguishing the present invention from the art cited against it.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 2 of this paper.